



## UTAH STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION - FEES

PUBLIC EDUCATION  
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## ISSUE BRIEF

**SUMMARY**

Utah Code Annotated, Section 63J-1-504 states, "Each fee agency shall submit its fee schedule or special assessment amount to the Legislature for its approval on an annual basis. The Legislature may approve, increase or decrease and approve, or reject any fee submitted to it by a fee agency." This issue brief details the fees approved for FY 2021 and the fees proposed by the Utah State Board of Education and the Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind for FY 2022 along with a brief analysis of the proposed changes.

**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION FEES**

	<b>FY 2021 Appropriated</b>	<b>FY 2022 Proposed</b>
<b><i>State Administrative Office</i></b>		
<b>Board and Administration</b>		
Unauthorized Parking Fee	30.00	30.00
Indirect Cost Pool		
Restricted Funds		
USBE percentage of personal service costs	Up to 10.9%	Up to 13.3%
Unrestricted Funds		
USBE percentage of personal service costs	Up to 24.6%	Up to 15.2%
<b>Teaching and Learning</b>		
Conference or Professional Development Registration	50.00 per day	50.00 per day
<b><i>Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind</i></b>		
<b>Educational Services</b>		
Instruction		
Teacher's Aide	13.50	16.01
Student Education Services Aide	30.53	32.25
Educator	71.81	74.59
After-School Program	30.00	30.00
Preschool Monthly Tuition	75.00	100.00
Out-of-State Tuition	50,600.00	50,600.00
Audiologist	71.81	80.83
<b>Support Services</b>		
Study Abroad Fee	500.00	500.00
Instruction		
Educational Interpreter	46.83	49.11
Support Services		
Conference Attendance		
Educator - Conference Attendance Fee	100.00	100.00
Parent - Conference Attendance Fee	25.00	25.00
Adult Lunch Tickets	2.25	2.25

Copy & Fax Machine		
Copy Machine		
Color	1.00	1.00
Black/White	0.10	0.10
Athletic (per sport)	100.00	100.00
Room Rental		
Dormitory	50.00	50.00
Conference	100.00	100.00
Multipurpose	200.00	200.00

### **ANALYSIS**

In general, the fees proposed by both the Utah State Board of Education (USBE) and the Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind (USDB) for FY 2022 are consistent with FY 2021. There are a few proposed changes as detailed below:

USBE:

- Indirect cost pool rate, as negotiated with the U.S. Department of Education.

USDB:

- The Teacher's Aide, Student Education Services Aide, Educator, and Audiologist hourly fees reflect increased labor costs expended by USDB. The preschool monthly tuition reflects the costs of providing preschool to students who are not deaf, hard of hearing, blind, or visually impaired.

The changes for FY 2022 were included in S.B. 8 "State Agency Fees and Internal Service Fund Rate Authorization and Appropriations" which was passed by the Legislature on January 28, 2021.